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I. HARRIS

Discussed Workmen's Compensation.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Dec. 16.—The thorough discussion of the proposed workmen's compensation act, which is said to be favored by a majority of the manufacturers of this state, was one of the most prominent features of the annual convention of the State Manufacturers' Association which was held here today. The attendance was unusually large and the greatest interest was manifested in the subject which was carefully and ably discussed by assistant labor commissioners W. G. Ashton and a number of prominent manufacturers and heads of large corporations.

A Huge Garr.

Hugo, Okla., Dec. 16.—A huge alligator gar, weighing 196 pounds, with a head and back similar to an alligator, and fully ten feet long that has been seen for years in Roebuck lake, near here, has been captured by Felix F. Hall, a fisherman. For years the farmers have been telling of seeing this monster fish, but many thought it was an alligator, because it has the head and back of a gator. It is said by old full-blood Choctaws to be more than 100 years old. Its capture was effected by spreading large double nets. The fish easily went through the ordinary net.

Why Not Patronize Home Merchants?

Our home merchants have in their holiday goods and have put them on display, so before mailing an order to Sears, Roebuck & Co. or any other foreign concern, you should by all means inspect the goods now on display in the Ada stores and buy from them, and thereby keep the money in Ada. You can do just as well, and probably BETTER by buying at home, and furthermore, you should do your shopping early, as the employees have more time now to assist you in making your selections than they will have the last few days before Christmas and they won't be so nervous, either. And again, if you begin now, buying a little at a time, the expense won't seem quite so heavy. And still again, you won't be so likely to forget something.

WRECK ON THE ROCK ISLAND

PASSENGER TRAINS COLLIDE NEAR CHICKASHA—ONE KILLED, SEVERAL INJURED.

Chickasha, Ok., Dec. 16.—Two passenger trains on the main line of the Rock Island crashed together head-on at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon at Ninekah, the first station south of this city.

An unknown man who was riding the baggage on the southbound train was killed and several passengers and one mail clerk injured.

Both locomotives were demolished and the smoking cars on both trains were telescoped. The locomotives on both trains reared into the air and stood on end with their front wheels grappling each other.

William Powell, the engineer on the northbound train stayed in his engine to the last and escaped unhurt. James Hutson, the southbound engineer, jumped just before the crash came and was badly bruised about the head and body. Both firemen jumped and escaped unhurt.

Some of the injured are: J. A. Litter, mail clerk, Caldwell, Kan., seriously injured about the head and internally.

T. J. Brown, Tuttle, Ok., skull fractured.

E. S. Hibbush, mail clerk, Hennessey, Ok., leg broken.

J. W. Cunningham, Bowie, Tex., seriously hurt internally.

Mrs. S. F. Baker, Duncan, Ok., cut about head, hurt internally.

Mrs. S. F. Kumbrel, Comanche, Ok., head cut, jaw broken.

Alfred C. Walters, Roysden, Ga., nose broken, cut about head.

Thomas Dwyer, Chickasha, nose broken, cut about head.

Charles Pearson, Chickasha, leg dislocated, hurt internally.

A relief train was sent from Chickasha and brought the injured to the city.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

1778—Sir Humphry Davy, inventor of the safety lamp, born. Died May 29, 1829.

1792—First Provincial parliament of Lower Canada, met at Quebec.

1807—John Greenleaf Whittier, the "Quaker Poet" born at East Haverhill, Mass. Died at Hampton Falls, N. H., Sept. 7, 1892.

1874—Emigrant ship Cospatrick burned at sea, with loss of 465 lives.

1878—Gold sold at par in New York for the first time since the beginning of 1862.

1880—Paul Kruger elected president of the South African Republic.

1895—President Cleveland sent to Congress his memorable message on Venezuela.

1900—The first passenger train arrived in Ada, over the Frisco R. R. Great sorrow among the wild turkeys and deer.

1907—Sir William Thompson, who was created Lord Kelvin for his valuable service in science, died in London. Born in Belfast in 1824.

1908—First Turkish Parliament opened by the Sultan.

1911—Alfred G. Vanderbilt and Mrs. McKim married in London.

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MAY SEND TROOPS TO JAY

BOTH SIDES STILL RESTING ON THEIR ARMS PREPARED FOR TROUBLE.

Oklahoma City, Dec. 17.—That the situation at old Jay, the disputed seat of Delaware county, is "bad" and that an organized effort on the part of the sheriff and his deputies to remove the county seat and records to new Jay will precipitate a fight that is likely to result in bloodshed, is the opinion of Adjutant General F. M. Canton, who returned Monday night from the mob-ridden town where he went at the instance of Governor Cruce to personally investigate the situation. General Canton will make a written report to Governor Cruce Tuesday in which he will give his views of the situation and the necessity of militia aid in preserving life and order when the sheriff attempts to carry out the court mandate ordering the removal of the records to new Jay.

General Canton would say nothing Monday night that would indicate what he will recommend to the governor. However, it is believed he will state that state aid is necessary in enforcing peace.

No formal demand, it is said, ever has been made by the sheriff for the county records which now are located at old Jay. Such a move has been blocked by the armed opponents of the new county seat. Ninety percent of the people of Jay and Delaware county are in favor of new Jay, according to H. A. Randall, sergeant major, who accompanied General Canton on his investigation.

General Canton said he tried to arbitrate the matter with leaders of the two factions and bring about a peaceable settlement without avail. Each side, he says, is determined to win its point and they will resort to most anything to accomplish their end as evidenced by the Winchester and sixshooters freely displayed in all parts of the little city.

The newspaper accounts of the trouble that have been sent out from Jay and adjoining towns, General Canton says, have greatly exaggerated the true situation. "No correct statement has ever been published concerning the situation at Jay," said General Canton.

The reports of the firing at old Jay Saturday night were substantially correct, said General Canton. It is believed, however, that the shooting was done by one side entirely. Two outposts who were sitting around a camp fire were fired upon, the bullets striking their campfire and they returned the volley and this is given as the cause for the shooting.

The Doctor's Prescription for a Stingy Man.

In the January Woman's Home Companion appears a story in which is related an account of a prescription given to an exceedingly stingy farmer by a doctor. The farmer took the prescription to the druggist. The druggist told the farmer that he could not fill the prescription and said to the farmer: "If you will read it your self you will see why." Whereupon the farmer adjusted his glasses and read to his astonishment:

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Hurries Ship for Santa Claus.

New York, Dec. 17.—To enable travellers to reach Paris and other points on the Continent in time for the Christmas holidays, the steamship France, the premier vessel of the French line, sailed for Cherbourg this morning instead of waiting until Thursday, the regular sailing date.

Boundary Commission Meets.

Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 17.—The International Joint Commission, representing Canada and the United States, re-assembled in this city today to complete arrangements for the proposed investigation of boundary waters from the St. Lawrence to the head of the Great Lakes. The pollution of the boundary waters is the present subject of consideration. Health officials

of Ontario and of the states bordering on the lakes have been requested to present their views to the conference.

Seek Rural Life Improvement.

Fargo, N. D., Dec. 17.—North Dakota's first country life conference convened at the State Agricultural College here today, and will continue in session until Friday. The program provides for the discussion of all phases of rural life improvement by men and women well qualified to speak on the subjects assigned them. The initial sessions today were devoted to the consideration of the country school as a social center.

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The high society dames of New York and Chicago have a mania for giving "charity balls." However, there is no record of any of the recipients of the charity being invited to attend one of them.

Poor old Gen. Sickles appears destined to go down to his grave surrounded and harassed by a multitude of troubles. The latest is a demand by the state authorities that the board of which he is a member, refund to the state a large sum of money which represents a shortage in the fund entrusted to them with which to erect monuments on certain battlefields. The chief responsibility appears to be on the bowed shoulders of the grizzled old veteran, who won fame at Gettysburg. On two recent occasions he has escaped bankruptcy only by the timely assistance of his wife, and now with this additional burden his cup of sorrows is filled to the brim. His entire life has been one of storm and tragedy. In his young manhood he entered the political field and was fast forging to the front, only to have his life blasted by a tragedy in which an unfaithful wife figured. Although acquitted for killing her lover, the blow wrecked his political career. During the civil war he was a brave soldier and lost a leg in the service of his country.

The next blow came when his daughter became a habitue of the underworld, and afterwards his marriage to a Spanish lady of high family connections proved unhappy. Now in his old age he is hounded by creditors and his few remaining days promise to be dark and dreary.

Miss Helen Gould has again demonstrated her level headedness in announcing her intention of marrying a plain American man of affairs, instead of picking up some worthless cuss from Europe with a title. With her great wealth she might have had her pick of the entire lot of impoverished European vagabonds, who wear high sounding titles conferred on some worth while ancestor, but who are themselves just a bunch of loafing, drinking, gambling hoboos. The lure of a title has led many American girls to sacrifice themselves and their millions. Anna Gould among others. These silly girls are brought up in the belief that everything in their own country is crude and that real culture and polish exist nowhere except in Europe. They are imbued with the same belief that makes loafers of the men they marry—that labor is degrading and that a man who works is to be looked down on, instead of being respected as one who does things worth while and makes the world better. However, Miss Gould is an exception to the rule. She has measured men by their ability to make a success of their lives and not by the number of titles they inherited. She has given her heart to a man of her own country who has lived according to the American standard, and the chances are that her marriage will prove a thousand times happier than that of her sister, whose matrimonial experiences with European profligates furnished juicy topics for gossip in two hemispheres. America would be much better off if it could boast of more Helen Goulds among rich women.

The jail population of Pontotoc county is at the present time at probably the lowest point since statehood, there being only eight inmates, six white men and two negroes within the walls of the bastille this afternoon. At times during the past five years there has been as many as forty prisoners in the jail at one time.

A CHAUTAUQUA COURSE FOR ADA

Mrs. Nova H. Gaiser, representing the Ridpath Chautauqua bureau of Kansas City, has been making an energetic canvass of the business men of the city in the interest of a chautauqua course for Ada during the coming summer. She has had fair success and will probably complete her work within a day or two more. In times past Ada has had the benefit of two of these courses, and it is not necessary to enlarge on the benefits derived therefrom. Coming during the summer session of the normal this course would be of all the more value. A chautauqua is the best means yet found of bringing the best talent of the world and the general public together.

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Puffed Rice and Shredded Wheat, 10c per package.—Modern Cash Grocery. 211-1f

Alvarez & Martell attracted a good crowd to the Majestic last evening and their act was first class in every respect. They will appear again this evening in an entirely different program. Besides these stars there will be three pictures: "The Street Singers" in which the audience is given a story of the rise of a prima donna from poverty to fame and wealth. "Bunny's Suicide" is one of the best that funny man, John Bunny, ever pulled off. "She Wanted a Boarder" is another good comedy.

HE LAUGHED 'TILL HE DIED
Taylorsburg, Ohio.—Abe Skinner, the village pessimist laughed himself to death from reading BIFF! the great American Magazine of fun which is making greater strides than any other magazine before the American public today. It is a magazine that will keep the whole family in a good humor. The staff of Biff contains the great artists, caricaturists, critics and editors on the continent. It is highly illustrated and printed in many colors. It will keep the whole family cheerful the year 'round. You can afford to spend 50c a year to do this. Send this clipping and 50c today to the Biff Publishing Co., Dayton, Ohio, for one year's subscription. 3td Adv

SENATE WILL HAVE TWO PRESIDING OFFICERS
Washington, Dec. 17.—The chair of the presiding officer of the senate, when that body convened today, was filled for the remainder of the session by the adoption of a plan, through which Senators Gallinger and Bacon will alternate in terms of two weeks each as president pro tempore until March 4. The resolution carrying that plan into effect was adopted against sharp opposition led by Senator Bristow. By a special order the senate continued Senator Bacon as presiding officer of the Archibald impeachment court.

Attention, Masons.
There will be a call meeting of Ada lodge, A. F. and A. M. Wednesday night, December 18. Work in the Fellowcraft degree. 3td

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

at Ada, Okla.

MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS RY. SOUTH.

No. 111 Lv. Daily 11:25 A. M.
No. 113 Lv. Daily 10:40 P. M.

NORTH
No. 112 Ar. Daily 4:14 P. M.
No. 114 Ar. Daily 6:20 A. M.

OKLAHOMA CENTRAL RAILWAY TRAIN GOING EAST.

12 Lv. Daily 2:55 P. M.
TRAIN FROM EAST.

11 Ar. Daily 10:05 A. M.
TRAIN GOING WEST.

3 Lv. Daily 3:30 P. M.
TRAIN FROM WEST.

4 Ar. Daily 2:55 P. M.

FRISCO. NORTH BOUND.

500—Eastern Express 10:30 A. M.
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BASKETBALL GAME AT TISHOMINGO

A phone message received last evening stated that the normal girls had defeated the Tishomingo High school basketball team by a score of 11 to 10, thus continuing the unbroken record of successful games of the present season.

However, today's Dallas News gives the score as 10 to 9 in favor of Tishomingo, and a traveling man seen by the News this morning, stated that he had heard it that way in Tishomingo but that there had been a lively squabble with the referee of the game over another goal for Ada, and that he had held against the normal. The team will probably arrive at home on the afternoon train after which it will be possible to get the facts of the case.

BUY A GIFT CHECK!

U. of C. Convention.
Chicago, Ill., Dec. 17.—A large class of graduates received degrees today at the eighty-fifth convocation of the University of Chicago. Dr. Edwin Erle Sparks, president of Pennsylvania State College, was the convocation orator.

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GRANDFATHER CASES GO TO U. S. SUPREME COURT

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 16.—Two questions relating to the validity of the Oklahoma "grandfather law" provides that any person may be debarred from voting in case of his inability to read and write any section of the state constitution, unless his ancestors were qualified voters before Jan. 3, 1866.

Frank Guinn and J. J. Beal, election officials, who refused the ballot to certain negroes under this law were convicted of offenses against the federal election law and were sentenced to one year's imprisonment each in Fort Leavenworth prison and to pay a fine of \$100 each.

Their appeal placed the question before the court here, which sent it on to Washington.

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Yours Truly, Earl R. Jeter.

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a doll, a little table, doll buggy, oranges, nuts and candy.
Pours Truly, Mildred E. Jeter.

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a big doll and a table and a stocking full of candy and an orange and a banana and please bring mamma a dress, and please bring my teacher a bell. I am a good girl. JESSE BELLE ELLIS.

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me an automobile and a train. CLARENCE LAVENDAR.

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a big doll and a set of dishes and some candy and some oranges and a doll bed and a doll buggy and a table and some little chairs and an apple and a toy cat and a toy pig and a ball and a little doll dress and a pair of little shoes and a piano. I am a little girl. MAGNOLIA LAVENDAR.

Dear Santa Claus:
Please don't let Santa forget little Charley. I am a poor widow and can't get him any thing.
Dear Little CHARLEY LAVENDAR.

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a little muff and a fur, a little pink doll bonnet, a box of toilet water, a box of buffs.
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DEMONSTRATION OF DEEP PLOWING SATURDAY

By way of an object lesson to the general public, especially the farmers, a demonstration will be given Saturday of deep plowing with a Spaulding deep tilling machine, unless rain interferes. The exhibition will take place on the Frisco demonstration farm, between the city and the cement plant under the direction of A. L. Kennedy, local demonstration agent, and it is also expected that F. F. Ferguson, district agent may also be on the ground. This will be an eye opener to most people, for the machine turns up the dirt to a depth of 16 and 18 inches, making a bed of great depth for holding the moisture and giving the roots of the plants room to grow.

HIGH SCHOOL PLAY WILL BE POSTPONED

"David Garrick," the play which was to have been given Friday evening by the high school pupils, has been indefinitely postponed.

To those who have read the popular book, "Hazel Kirke," it is not necessary to say anything about the splendid picture that will be presented at the De Sota this evening. To add still more to the interest of the story, Mabel Trunelle plays the part of Hazel Kirke, the heroine of the story. Two reel attraction. Williams & Rose will add to the occasion by their masterly interpretations of the picture.

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FOR RENT—Two good three room houses. Good water. R. O. Lawrence. 213-1td

FOR RENT—4 room house on 18th street. Handy to South school. See Dr. Granger. 213-6td

FOR RENT—Modern six room house, stable, garden, near school and depot. Sunrise. Charles T. Barney. 205-3t*

BUY A GIFT CHECK!

Christmas gifts for father, mother, brother or sister, at Logsdan Bros. Shoe Co. 211-1f

A LEATHER GIFT

Why not make your friend a present of something in the leather line—something lasting. Even your horse or mule would enjoy wearing a new saddle or harness for a Christmas gift.

MAKE YOUR HORSE LAUGH

Treat him one time as the really good friend that he is—buy him some new clothes. SADDLES—HARNESS—STRAP GOODS—BRIDLES—E T C.

MOVED

We are moving to first door west of Levin's—Main Street

G. F. DENNY

DOLLS

This store is especially well supplied with a stock of Dolls. We have them in all grades from the plainest little things an inch in length up to those large lovable babies that look so human like. Prices Range

1c to \$7.50

We have a stock of FIRE WORKS that will appeal to any red-blooded American boy, at boy-size prices. See them before your list of gifts is completed.

5c @ 10c Store

O. J. DAVIDSON, Prop.

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WORLD'S BEST PICTURES
VAUDEVILLE OF QUALITY

'The Street Singer'

An absorbing story of a Prima Donna's rise to fame. This romantic drama features MISS ALICE JOYCE with a specially selected cast, and is magnificently staged and costumed.

"BUNNY'S SUICIDE"

John Bunney, Vitagraph's Funny Man, does something desperately funny in this funny comedy.

"She Wanted a Boarder"

ANOTHER GOOD COMEDY.

ALVARZ & MARTELL

In a Complete Change.

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FEATURE! TWO-REEL HAZEL KIRKE

From the world-famous book, by Steele Mackaye.
WOMEN LOVE IT. EVERYBODY WANTS TO SEE IT
Mabel Trunelle as Hazel Kirke

WILLIAMS & ROSE DENOTES MUSICAL QUALITY
Friday---World's Series Baseball Games 1912

COMING! TOMORROW:
"The Invaders" The Thief's Wife
"The Star of Bethlehem"

EMPRESS TONIGHT

SWELLEST PICTURES, YET!

"Jim Bentley's Adventure"

A Thrilling Experience in Early Frontier Life. A Great Western Picture.

"A Deputy's Honor"

Also a Western Picture and a Good One.

COMING! THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY!

STANTON & KLUTING

IN HIGH-CLASS VAUDEVILLE. THIS IS SOMETHING GOOD.
DO NOT FORGET THE DATE.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

BUY A GIFT CHECK!

IT IS COMING—

New Wall paper coming in all the while at Holley's. 229tf.

F. P. Lienallen was a passenger to Eufaula this morning.

BUY A GIFT CHECK!

Loose leaf ledger's at Holley's. 229tf.

IT IS COMING—

R. T. Kerr returned from Shawnee this morning.

BUY A GIFT CHECK!

Hot chocolate and whipped cream at Ramsey's. 200-tf

Clay D. McKee of Fitzhugh, is in the city today on business.

BUY A GIFT CHECK!

Toilet paper, 5c per roll.—Modern Cash Grocery. 211-tf

IT IS COMING—

Dr. and Mrs. Austell and Miss Dora Whitney were in from Center today.

BUY A GIFT CHECK!

25c cans Dr. Price's Baking Powder for 15c. Modern Cash Grocery. 211-tf

Jim Faunleroy was down from Holdenville on a flying trip this morning.

Silk Hose for Christmas Gifts at Logsdon Bros.' Shoe Co. 211-tf

Monroe Harrell and wife of Hobart were guests of W. H. Rogers and wife Monday. They left this morning for Marshall, Ark.

You can save money at the Modern Cash Grocery—retiring from business. 211-tf

BUY A GIFT CHECK!

Always got all kinds of paint at lowest prices at Dr. Holley's Drug Store. 229tf.

A Photograph Can Be a "Living Picture" Or a Caricature

It all depends on the "man behind the camera"

We claim—and our patrons affirm it—that our photographs are "living pictures"

STALL'S STUDIO

Makers of Fine Photographs Only

G. A. Truitt, county surveyor, was a passenger to Stowewall this morning.

You can get chicken feed ready mixed, cheaper than you can mix it, at Jno. D. Rinard's. 193-tf

BUY A GIFT CHECK!

Prof. H. S. Mathis, superintendent of Hughes county, arrived this morning and spent the remainder of the day visiting the normal.

Shoes, Hats, and Men's, Women's and Children's Hose at Logsdon Bros. Shoe Co. 211-tf

BUY A GIFT CHECK!

L. T. Walters left Monday afternoon for Oklahoma City, where the State Embalming Board, of which he is secretary will hold a meeting.

Plenty of fancy lump and nut coal. Ada Coal Co., Phone 159. Office Public Scales. 215-3t

BUY A GIFT CHECK!

A. L. Beck returned this morning from Oklahoma City, where he presided over the meeting of the Oklahoma Manufacturers' Association held Monday.

Laugh and the world laughs with you, weep and the laugh is on you. Come and laugh with Williams Bros. and associate players next week at the Armory. 10 and 20 cents.

CLOSING OUT PRICES AT

E.L.Steed's

10c Toilet Soap.....5c
5c Toilet Soap.....3 for 10c
10c Spices.....5c
5c Spices.....3 for 10c
10c Bottle Extract.....5c
6 5c boxes Matches.....15c
2-Gal. Well Bucket Pickles, \$1
3-lb. can Wapco Tomatoes.....10c
2-lb. can Best Corn.....15c

We have a line of Dishes on sale at Less than factory cost.

"ATTENTION, PAINTER!"

1-Gal. bucket Hockaday paint.....\$1.00

Quart can Hockaday Paint 25c
500 Pairs Sample Shoes, less than Manufacturers' Cost.

Don't Fail to attend this Removal Sale—a Whole Store Sale.

E.L.STEED

Messrs. John Ward, T. J. Moore, Tobe Wardlow, James Pool and Billy Smith all of Ada, the chiefest Oklahoma city south of the South Canadian, are spending the day in Shawnee, on business.News-Herald.

If you want your piano tuned before Christmas, you had better get your order in at once.

C. E. McSarrow is a professional piano tuner and a home man. Phone 13. With L. T. WALTERS. 212-6t-d

A. L. BECK HEADS
OKLAHOMA MANUFACTURERS
At the meeting of the Oklahoma Manufacturers' Association held at Oklahoma City Monday, president A. L. Beck of the Oklahoma Portland Cement Co. of Ada, was chosen as

president of the association for another year. Evidently his aggressive and boosting spirit has inspired the members of the organization and they have held for the past year. The purpose of the association is the boost Oklahoma products and encourage people to buy home manufactured goods rather than send Oklahoma money out of the state where it will only add to the prosperity of other sections. It has undertaken a laudable work and should have the encouragement of all classes. "Made in Oklahoma" should become a watch word with buyers, both wholesale and retail.

HOOVER'S

The Best Place to buy
YOUR CLOTHING!

We have put our Men's Suits and Overcoats in four lots at Reduced Prices:

\$25.00 and \$20.00 Suits and Overcoats, now	\$17.50 and \$15 Suits and Overcoats, now	\$12.50 and \$10 Suits and Overcoats, now	\$7.50 and \$6.00 Suits and Overcoats, now
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\$14.45 \$9.95 \$7.45 \$4.95

All Blue Serges and Blacks included in this Sale.

Our boys' suits we have put in two prices:

\$6.00 and \$5.00 Suits go at	\$3.95 and \$3.50 Suits go at
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\$3.45 \$2.45

Our knee pants we have put in two prices:

\$2.50 and \$2.00 Pants go at	\$1.50 and \$1.25 Pants go at
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\$1.45 95c

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Street

Hoover's
ONE PRICE CLOTHING HOUSE

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Wonderful Inducements to Holiday Shoppers

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday

At Guest Bros. Will Be Bargain Days for the Following Desirable Articles:

"FUR SETS"

in white, black, brown and grey, ranging in price from \$6.50 to \$27.50; the set at 30 per cent. below this price.

Umbrellas and Parasols

(Tourist) \$4.50 to \$10.00; yours for 20 per cent. less this price

Don't fail to see us. We have many things to offer you at bargains that will be worth your investigations. Your gentleman friend would not object to one of our Slip-on Rain and Overcoat combined---Two-in-One. Xmas is near. Don't forget to come before

You Are Too Late to Get First Choice

Respectfully Yours,

GUEST BROS.

Our Guarantee with Each Article.

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TELEPHONE NO. 15.

Report of the Condition of the

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ADA

ADA, OKLAHOMA.

NOVEMBER 26TH, 1912

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts.....	\$284,688.82
United States Bonds.....	17,500.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures.....	15,096.05
Other Real Estate.....	1,706.32

Bills of Exchange (Advances on Cotton) \$112,842.08

Due from U. S. Treasurer and other Banks 199,574.77

Cash in Vault 52,490.58

TOTAL 364,907.43 364,907.43

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LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock.....	\$50,000.00
Surplus and Profits.....	25,409.28
Circulation.....	17,500.00
DEPOSITS.....	590,989.36

TOTAL 590,989.36 590,989.36

The above Statement is correct. P. A. NORRIS, President.

LOCAL STOCKHOLDERS.

P. A. Norris, W. C. Duncan, Geo. Frierson, Charles H. Frierson, E. S. Harra way, A. G. Adams, J. C. Cates.

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TERMS—CASH. One cent a word for first insertion. One-half cent a word for subsequent insertions. No classified advertisements accepted for less than 15 cents. Telephone your want ads to Number 4. If the advertisement has to be booked, one cent per word per issue will be charged.

Telephone Us Your Want Ad Now!

NORMAL SCHOOLS PREPARE ANSWER TO GOVERNOR

Oklahoma City, Ok., Dec. 16.—The normal schools will get their side of the question affecting abolition of state institutions before the public, as was determined upon at a meeting of the normal heads last week.

A statement showing what the normals are doing and the work they hope to accomplish, if allowed to remain in existence, will be prepared and given to the public through the newspapers. A feature of the statement will be a comparison between the normals of Oklahoma and those of other states.

This evening the Empress will present an unusually fine program of the swellest pictures to be had. Jim Bentley's Adventure" is a thrilling frontier story. It is full of excitement throughout. "A Deputy's Honor" is another western story that will catch the attention of the audience. Coming Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Stanton & Kluting, high class vaudeville artists.

AUCTION!

A REAL SENSATION

A. D. COON, is Quitting the Jewelry Business. Auction Sale commences Tuesday, the 17th, and lasts till everything is sold. An excellent opportunity for Xmas Shoppers to buy your present at wholesale prices. Remember the first purchaser each day receives a handsome present.

Sale Goes on Day and Night

BAILEY EXPECTED

TO RESIGN SOON.

Washington, Dec. 16.—Senator Bailey according to statements reported to have been made by him today to some of his colleagues, will resign his

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Christmas Is Coming

Along with the snow. You will need a new suit, That I know. Then why not come, This very day, To the ADA PANTATORIUM Without delay. And have your measure Taken, trim and nice. For a new stylish suit, At a very low price? We fit the lean, The short, the tall, And those between— We fit them all!

A Full and Complete Line of Fabrics to Select From.

WE WANT YOUR BUSINESS.

121 East Main, Between the De Sota and Majestic Theatres.

PAUL VARNER, Proprietor.

ARKANSAS GOVERNOR MAKES PARDON RECORD

Little Rock, Ark., Dec. 16.—Gov. George W. Donaghey today signed pardons for 360 convicts who will be released tomorrow as a protest against the convict lease system employed in Arkansas and other states.

Gov. Donaghey intimated he might take such action in a speech before the recent conference of governors in Richmond, Va.

The convicts who will be freed are serving sentences from one to fifteen years in length. None of the desperate convicts in the penitentiary will be released.

Three state convict camps will be abolished as a result of the governor's action but several camps will be continued in operation where convicts are engaged in the building of good roads.

Gov. Donaghey has fought the convict lease system since he first assumed office four years ago. He has repeatedly urged the state legislature to take action in the matter but each time his efforts were futile.

Some members of the legislature contended the state penitentiary was not designed for a Sunday school. Gov. Donaghey replied by asserting it was not designed for a "revengeful hell."

The governor has prepared a lengthy statement to be submitted to the state legislature in January explaining his action.

A VISIT TO OLD JUAREZ

(The following interesting description of the old Mexican city of Juarez is taken from a letter to Orville Snead from his father who is at El Paso at present.)

This is a beautiful and picturesque country. El Paso is a magnificent little city; the Mexican portion of it is in keeping with Mexican ideas which is rough and crude. They live in little adobe built of straw and dirt.

Your mother and I took a trip to Juarez in old Mexico yesterday afternoon, a town of twenty thousand population. Their buildings were in the main one story and all looked dirty and filthy. The Mexican women were sitting around out on the streets with their little baskets of tamales, chile, peppers and other things which looked nasty and many things of which I know nothing. The men wear blankets, and Mexican hats and have a quiet air about them which indicates laziness. We went into the government buildings where Taft and Diaz stood for their photos. This building was used about one hundred years ago for a penitentiary and jail.

The auditorium is very spacious and the offices are very large and well kept. It is standing just as it did one hundred and sixty years ago. From there we went to the old Mission church which covers almost a square; went all through looking at the statuary and other fixings of the Catholics which struck us with wonder. This building was erected in fifteen hundred forty-nine, before the time the Mayflower landed at Plymouth Rock with the Pilgrims and on this spot Christianity was taught before there was any United States. The old bell in the tower hangs as it did three hundred years ago, being suspended with rawhides, which of course, as time passes, new rawhides are used. The steps up to the steeple are made from slabs of hardwood which from much use have been worn round and smooth. The steps up to choir loft are very steep and curiously constructed. The ceiling beams look like rock but are made of wood and hand carved by the Indians hundred of years ago as well the columns supporting. A life size wax figure of Christ, in a glass case just behind the chancel, showing the wound with blood trickling down his side seemed natural. No pews are in this building and when they go to worship there they must either stand or sit on the floor. The walls of this building are five feet thick and they were badly shot up in nineteen hundred ten by the insurgents with hand bombs which were thrown into the inside. I saw hundreds of bullets and bomb holes. I viewed the place where two or three of the soldiers fell and where they were buried without being placed in coffins. We saw the place where the old postoffice building was badly torn up and burned by bombs and dynamite. The insurgents led by sixty-five Americans, bored their way through about thirty different brick walls to the postoffice building when they destroyed it and at the same time killing fifty soldiers of Diaz. From this place they trained their guns on the church which I have been trying to describe.

We then went to the market house where they keep all kinds of vegetables, curios and other junk for sale some of which I never saw before and do not know what it was as

Spend the Holidays at Home

Holiday Fares will be in effect December 21, 22, 23. Good returning until January 19, 1913, to points in

ALABAMA, FLORIDA, GEORGIA, KENTUCKY, MISSISSIPPI, NORTH CAROLINA, SOUTH CAROLINA, TENNESSEE, VIRGINIA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

Tickets to local points in Oklahoma, Texas and Louisiana will be on sale December 23, 24, 25-31 and January 1st, granting final return limit of January 6th.



FRISCO LINES will take you there AND BACK in perfect safety. Let the nearest Frisco Agent help you plan your trip in detail. For further information, address the undersigned.

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there was no one around who could speak English. We also saw the amphitheatre, or bull ring, but did not go inside of it. A bull fight is to take place there Sunday. The matador is to come from Mexico City and it is said he is a fine matador.

I could write lots of impressions but it would be too much for a letter.

Heartburn is a symptom of indigestion. Take a dose of HERBINE in such cases. The pain disappears instantly. The bowels operate speedily and you feel fine, vigorous and cheerful. Price 50c. Sold by the Ramsey Drug Co.—adv.

March King's Daughter a Bride.

New York, Dec. 17.—Miss Helen Sousa, daughter of the famous bandmaster and Mrs. John Philip Sousa, became the bride today of Mr. Hamilton Albert. The wedding took place this afternoon at St. Thomas's Church the Rev. Dr. Ernest M. Stiles officiating. A reception at the St. Regis Hotel followed the ceremony.



The Lawyer wins by his wife—his mind must be clear at all times. Neither he nor you nor any thinking person can win if wits are dulled by headache.

HICKS' CAPUDINE CURES HEADACHE

takes off the brakes—gets at the cause—heat, cold, nervousness or grip. Capudine is a liquid, pleasant to take; quickly effective; contains no narcotics. Isn't it a pity to suffer with headache when you really can cure it? The end 5c at drugists—trial size 10c.

CITY LOANS--3 Plans

STRAIGHT LOAN PLAN.

Principal to run 5 years with privilege of paying off all or a part at any interest paying time.

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Five per cent of principal to be paid every six months, until six payments, totaling 30 per cent of the principal is paid, the remainder runs five years, or the whole amount or any part may be paid off at any interest paying time.

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This is the Building and Loan plan where the interest and a small part of the principal is paid monthly.

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Succeed when everything else fails. In nervous prostration and female weaknesses they are the supreme remedy, as thousands have testified. FOR KIDNEY, LIVER AND STOMACH TROUBLE. It is the best medicine ever sold over a druggist's counter.

A RURAL ROUTE IS PETITIONED FOR

George Thomason, who lives in the Knox community, has been working on the problem of securing a rural route from Ada through that section. It is his plan for it to extend a total length of twenty-four miles and serve 200 families. If this is established as petitioned for it will extend to 3N Range 5 East and 3N Range 6 East.

Although the signatures of only 100 are required on the petition, he has worked so industriously that he has 117. As frequently pointed out by the News, a few rural routes are badly needed, especially since the parcels post act, which would otherwise give the mail order houses a big advantage over the local merchants.

Deep-seated coughs that resist ordinary remedies require both external and internal treatment. If you buy a dollar bottle of BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP you get the two remedies you need for the price of one. There is a HERRICK'S RED PEPPER POROUS PLASTER for the chest, free with each bottle. Sold by the Ramsey Drug Co.—adv.

BETTER SYSTEM OF ENUMERATING PUPILS

Oklahoma City, Dec. 17.—About thirty thousand dollars was saved to the actual scholastics of the state by the new method of taking the enumeration put into operation a year ago by Supt. Wilson. The law makes no provision for taking the scholastic census, merely providing for the clerks of the districts to report the number of children residing in the district on January 15th. This report is made the first of June.

In compiling the reports of the county superintendents it was noticed that in many districts the same number of names was reported for the enumeration as had attended school the past year, showing that the enumeration report was copied from the teacher's register. In one county of 61 districts, 20 districts had so reported. So special blanks were prepared for making this report which require the director or clerk to visit each family in the district and so get an accurate report of the number of children residing therein. The reports this year show that the large cities have been inclined to pad their returns as with but one or two exceptions, the cities of the first class show to have fewer children this year than last.

The advantage of the new method is that there is a more equitable distribution of the state's money and the reducing of the number of children in the state 15,000 means just five cents more per capita from the state to the child, or had the reports a year ago given the same number as shown for this year the state appropriation for 1912 would have been \$2.00 per capita instead of \$1.95. In one district in the county mentioned above they reported last year 51 children and this year 74, or a difference of 23. This multiplied by \$1.95 means that this district will receive \$44.85 more from the state than it did last year, or enough to run the school another month.

In one of the principal cities of the state the enumeration this year was 1688 fewer than for last year, which means that this city secured from the state \$3,271.60 more than it was entitled to. Mr. Wilson hopes that the legislature will provide that the scholastic census hereafter be taken under oath and that the enumerators be paid a reasonable fee for their work. The amount saved by making an accurate report will more than pay for the services rendered, and will make the padding of returns impossible.

Ambassador Reid Dies in London.

London, Dec. 15.—Whitelaw Reid, the American Ambassador to Great Britain since 1905, died at his London residence, Dorchester House, shortly after noon today from pulmonary oedema. The end was quite peaceful. Mrs. Reid and their daughter, Mrs. John Hubert Ward, were at the bedside.

The ambassador had been unconscious since 9 o'clock in the morning and at intervals during the previous twenty-four hours he had been slightly delirious as a result of drugs administered to induce sleep.

Sir Thomas Barlow, physician to the King, who was called in last week when Mr. Reid's illness became acute, and Dr. William Hale White, his regular physician, issued the following bulletin as to the cause of death:

"A fortnight ago the Ambassador had a slight bronchial attack, similar to others from which he had suffered at considerable intervals. On Wednesday, last, asthma supervened and the asthmatic paroxysms became

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very severe, leading to extreme exhaustion. It was hoped that he might rally, as no pneumonic symptoms had appeared. With difficulty the paroxysms of asthma were got under control, but Sunday morning the exhaustion became extreme and he died from pulmonary oedema at 12:10 p. m.

Southern Poultry Show

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 16.—With the largest number of entries in the different departments and classes and a list of prizes never equalled on any former occasion in the south the annual show of the Southern International Poultry Association opened here today at the Auditorium Armory. The exhibition will continue through the entire week and there is every prospect that the attendance will be record-breaking. In addition to the regular ribbons, \$3000 in gold will be distributed among the successful exhibitors. There are special departments for ducks and pigeons with numerous entries.

Cheap Oranges for Christmas.

In making his Christmas purchases this year Santa Claus will find that oranges—that big golden colored fruit which fits so snugly into the kiddies' stockings—will be the cheapest as well as about the best little remembrances he can buy. Oranges are

COAL
I AM HANDLING ALL KINDS OF COAL FROM THE
BEST
McAlester down, and it is handled with a fork, too. Have permanent coal bins. Satisfaction guaranteed.
PHONE 139
JNO. D. RINARD

scheduled to sell during the holidays at two big ones for five cents.

G. W. McCorkle of the Turner Produce Co. said to a News man this morning that oranges would be cheaper this Christmas than for a quarter of a century.

This is attributed to the great production this season in the orange fields, the crop being unusually large.

Capt. S. H. Hargis returned Monday night from Pushmataha county, where he has been selling buggies, and will remain in Ada until after the holidays.

Skin On Fire?

Just the mild, simple wash, the known D.D.D. Prescription for Eczema and the itch is gone. A trial will prove it. We have sold other remedies for skin trouble but none that we could guarantee as we can the D.D.D. remedy. If the first regular size \$1.00 bottle does not get you a cure, it will not cost you a cent. Ramsey Drug Company, 105 West Main Street, Ada, Oklahoma.

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GEO. THOMASON CITY AUCTIONEER Roller Corner Every Saturday	W. D. FAUST Physician and Surgeon Office in Conn Building Phones: Office 80 Residence 81
WALLIS HARTMAN Physician and Surgeon Office in Conn Building Phones: Office 20 Residence 365	GEORGE E. GRANGER DENTISTS. Phone No. 212. Residence Phone No. 259.
S. F. ROSS Physician and Surgeon Office Aldrich Bldg., Phone 33. Residence 226 E. 17th St., Phone 235.	Rooms 1 and 2, First Nat'l Bank Bldg Res. Phone 225 DRS. Res. Phone 325
J. R. CRAIG PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON Over Ada National Bank. Phone Nos.—Office, 59; Res. 251	CASTLEBERRY & CUMMINGS Office Phone 201 Aldrich Building
DR. W. B. WHITE DENTIST Office Hours: 9 to 12—1.30 to 5 Phone 470. Over Surprise Store	DR. J. W. WIMBISH Physician Office with Drs. Ligon & King Phones—Residence 401; Office 71
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